Hon. John C. Coughenour

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

VLADIMIR V. ZAYTSEV, an unmarried individual.

Case No. 2:10-cv-00164-JCC

Plaintiff,

vs.

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CAL-WESTERN RECONVEYANCE CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON, A Washington Corporation, HOMECOMINGS) FINANCIAL NETWORK, INC., a Delaware) Corporation, AURORA LOAN SERVICES,) LLC, a Nebraska Company, WEST HORIZON FINANCIAL, INC., A Washington Company, and MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS,

DEFENDANT WEST HORIZON FINANCIAL, INC'S ANSWER AND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES TO THE PLAINTIFF'S FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT

Defendants.

INC., a California Company,

COMES NOW the Defendant, West Horizon Financial, Inc., by and through its attorney of record, Stephan D. Wakefield of Hecker Wakefield & Feilberg, P.S., and hereby deny each and every allegation contained in the Plaintiff's Complaint except as hereinafter specifically admitted as follows:

ANSWER

Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the

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- 2. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore deny the same.
- 3. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 4. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore deny the same.
- 5. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 6. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
 - 7. Admitted.
 - 8. Admitted.
- 9. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
 - 10. Admitted.
 - 11. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the

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- 12. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 13. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 14. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 15. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
 - 16. Denied
- 17. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 18. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 19. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.

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- 20. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 21. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 22. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 23. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 24. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 25. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
 - 26. Denied.
 - 27. The Promissory Note speaks for itself.
 - 28. The loan documents speak for themselves.
- 29. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.

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- 30. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 31. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 32. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 33. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 34. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
- 35. Defendant incorporates by reference its Answers to the above paragraphs.
- 36. Defendant is without sufficient knowledge as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and therefore denies the same.
 - 37. Denied.
 - 38. Denied.
 - 39. Denied.
 - 40. Denied.

- 41. Denied.
- 42. Denied.
- 43. Defendant incorporates by reference its Answers to the above paragraphs.
- 44. Denied.
- 45. Denied in its entirety.
- 46. Denied.
- 47. Denied.
- 48. Defendant incorporates by reference its Answers to the above paragraphs.
- 49. Denied.
- 50. Denied.
- 51. Denied.
- 52. Denied.
- 53. Denied.

II. AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSES

By way of further Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint, and by way of Affirmative Defenses, Defendant stated and alleged as follows:

- 42. Plaintiff, by its conduct and/or acts, words or silence, is estopped from claiming the relief requested.
- 43. Plaintiff's Complaint fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted.
 - 44. Defendant has just cause for its actions.

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- 45. Plaintiff, by its conduct and/or acts, words or silence, has waived any claims it may have against the Defendants.
- 46. Plaintiff's claim is barred by the Statute of Limitations.
 - 47. Defendant's actions were justified.
- 48. Plaintiff's claims are barred by accord and satisfaction.
- 49. Plaintiff's claims are barred for failure of consideration.
 - 51. Plaintiff's claims are barred by the Statute of Frauds.
- 52. Plaintiff's injuries and damages, if any, are diminished and/or extinguished due to setoff for the amounts due to the Defendants by the Plaintiff.
- 53. The Truth In Lending Act (hereinafter "TILA") does not apply to private rights of action.
 - 54. The TILA claim is time barred.
- 55. The Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act (hereinafter "RESPA") claim is time barred.
- 56. RESPA does not apply to the Defendant West Horizon Financial for failure to disclose a Yield Spread Premium.

WHEREFORE, having fully answered Plaintiff's Complaint, having allege Affirmative Defenses and a Counterclaim against the Plaintiff, the Defendants request the following relief:

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- 1. For dismissal of Plaintiff's Complaint in its entirety with prejudice;
- 2. For an award of the Defendant's reasonable attorney fees and costs as provided by statute, agreement between the parties and other rule of law; and
- 3. For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and equitable.

DATED this 4 day of May,

By. Stephan D. Wakefield WSBA #22762 WECKER WAKEFIELD & FEILBERG, P.S. Attorney For Defendant West Horizon Financial, Inc.